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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
CHEN et al.

Confirmation Number: 8466

Application No.: 09/822,831

Group Art Unit: 1746

Filed: April 2, 2001

Examiner: Crepeau, Jonathan

Title: CONDUCTING POLYMER-CARBON NANOTUBE COMPOSITE MATERIALS  
AND THEIR USES

**AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O.Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In further reply to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2004, the period for reply being extended to March 17, 2005 by the enclosed Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time, prior to continued examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: